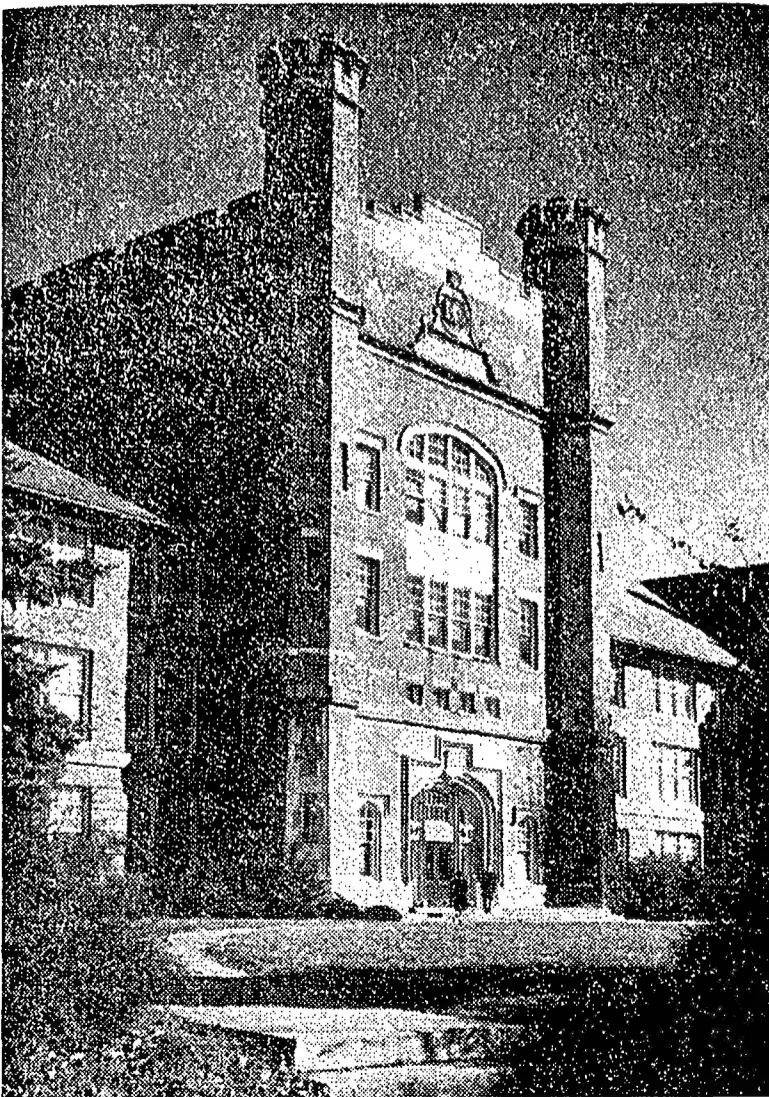


More Than 1000 Alumni Will Return to Campus for Homecoming Day!

Historic Towers of College



Alumni returning for Homecoming will enjoy seeing again the towers of the Administration building around which much of the history and lore of the College is built. When campus lights are focused on them at night their shadows in the sky may be seen for miles and miles around Maryville.

Seniors Elect Four New Class Officers

President Eddie Reese, Naval Veteran, Comes From Brownington.

Eddie Reese is the newly elected president of the Senior Class. He gained this honorable position after a close run-off with the other candidates. Eddie, a naval veteran, hails from Brownington. At present, he and his bride of two months make their home at College Heights. Majoring in commerce and minoring in economics, Ed is working toward his A. B. degree. He is also a prominent member of the Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity and the Social Committee.

The vice presidential position has been filled by Helen Fisher who gained this honor on the first ballot. St. Joseph is the former Tower Queen's home town. Helen is a business major and an English minor. Her other activities include the presidential position of the Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority and membership on the Student Social Committee.

Proving the anecdote that employers like red-haired secretaries is Betty Davis, Lock Springs. Betty is a vocational home economics major, and is also affiliated with the Sigma Sigma Sigma and the Kappa Phi Omicron.

Ruth McDowell of Maryville is the financier of the Senior Class. Ruth, besides acting as treasurer, is active in the Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority. A major in music and a minor in English round out her academic work.

Band Members Proudly Display New Uniforms

Members of the College band are proud of their new uniforms, dark green with gray trimmings and silver buttons, strictly West Point military style. Observe the Bearcat patch insignia on the left shoulder!

The band will appear in the uniforms for the first time on Saturday, October 29, in the parade up town and at the game.

Mr. John Smay is kept busy drilling the recruits in the College marching band. In fact, the band is in fine shape and ready to put on a great show in the sixty new uniforms plus special costumes of the majorettes.

College Will Classify Purebred Jersey Herd

Reclassification of the College farm purebred Jersey herd will be held Thursday, October 20. Last previous classification of the herd was in September, 1947. Since that time eleven head of additional cattle are ready for classification.

Mr. M. J. Regan, extension dairyman will be the judge of the herd.

College Registrar Announces Change

Pre-Registration Date Is Arranged for Winter Term Schedules.

Pre-registration for the winter quarter will be from November 1 to November 11. All students who care to register early should see their faculty advisers and make specific appointments for conferences with them.

This suggestion is being made to avoid the last minute rush and give the advisers enough time for proper advising, according to Mr. Robert Foster, registrar.

The students will arrange schedules with the advisers, using trial schedule cards. When trial schedule cards are signed, they then have to be presented at the registrar's office. All permits for any classes which are sectioned will be obtained at this time.

Registration booklets will be given to students after permits are obtained. The students will return the registration booklets and forms (permits) to the faculty advisers. The faculty advisers in turn will file these registration forms. On registration day the advisers will check registration forms with the previous quarter's grades, so as to make any changes necessary.

This action is not compulsory. Students do not have to complete pre-registration. The reason for the suggested change is that Mr. Foster feels it will speed registration considerably and will provide more efficient advisement for the students.

Congressman Judd Believes in U. N.

Two Ideologies Can Live Together if Both Will Obey Same Rules.

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Students Give Musical Program at Assembly

Students of the College presented a musical program today at the assembly, which consisted of piano, clarinet and violin numbers along with vocal solos and a medley of barber shop tunes.

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STUDENT UNION

The idea of a student union has long been a topic of discussion, but it now looms as a definite possibility. Through a cooperative investigation of administration and students, it has been found that a student union is both practical and desirable. A fact finding committee, which was appointed by the Student Senate, submitted a question form to each organization on the campus in order to obtain a consensus of student opinion. It was found that the students themselves are actually interested in having a union which will provide recreation and entertainment.

Location and beginning date of construction of the union have not yet been decided, but the Board of Regents has voted that a dollar be added to the quarterly activity fee which each student pays. This money will be used for the development and upkeep of a union.

If the students continue to show their interest in a union, the administration will do everything in its power to see that this union idea is consummated.—Pitner and Guthland.

WHERE ARE THE VOICES?

Enthusiastic cheering is as necessary at a football game as hotdogs smothered in mustard. At the first home grid contest you were in the stadium along with fellow students, and while you anticipated each play on the gridiron perhaps there was a consciousness of mingled shouts and handclapping. But where were the vibrant voices that would rock the bleacher foundation and bring a tingle of fighting spirit to the warriors on the turf?

Vocal approval by all who support the team should greet each play made by the clawing Bearcats on the battlefield. All squad members know a resounding ovation during game time is a partial reward for sweat, bruised bones, and daily contact workouts.

Let's every one be a member of the cheering chorus as Northwest State grid fans at all games. We will be tutored by seven conductors dressed in white. Our hurrahs will mingle with other cries as our chants disturb the air and reverberate over the campus in thundering cheers toward victory!

—C. D. Knodle.

LET US ACT NOW

What we need to fulfill our social life is a student union. We need a place to dance, to laugh, to smoke, to eat, and to loaf.

Other colleges I have visited have a place for students to gather before and after programs, ball games and other college events. It is a starting place for all parties and a place to spend leisure hours. It furnishes a place to go between classes and on lonely evenings.

These student unions have pin-ball machines, table tennis tables, card tables, soda fountains, place to dance, and soft lounges where students can sit, talk and forget their worries.

Let us act now, through our Student Senate, to obtain a student union.—Jack Highley.

IT IS LATE!

An almost universal practice in Veterans' Village has grown to dangerous proportions recently. We mean the practice of parking cars on the drive through the Village. Not only is the drive too narrow, but there are many small children in the Village who might dart from behind one of these cars squarely into the path of a moving car! An incident of this sort almost happened the other day, and might happen at any time. Let's watch this habit and find another parking place!—Truman Geer.

"Every Student Get a Student."

Calendar

October 19, Wednesday—
Alpha Sigma Epsilon—7:00-9:00—
Room 101.
Phi Sigma Epsilon—7:00-9:00—
Room 120.
Tri Sig—4:00-5:30—Room 114.
Dramatics Club—4:00-6:00—
Room 103.
Independent Club—7:00-9:30—
Den.
Householders Association—7:30-
9:30—Room 207.
Assembly—10:00-11:00—Auditorium.
Phi Sig—7:00—Rooms 120-121.
Business Department—7:00-9:00—
Rooms 124-126.

October 20, Thursday—
Alpha Psi Omega—8:00-9:30—
Room 103.
Dramatics Club—4:00-6:00—
Room 103.
Student Senate—7:00-9:00—Den.
Intermediate Club—7:00-9:00—
Room 207.
Swim Club—7:00-8:00—Pool.
Business Department—7:00-9:00—
Rooms 124-126.

October 21, Friday—
Dramatics Club—4:00-6:00—
Room 103.

October 24, Monday—
W. A. A.—7:00-9:00—Room 113.
Music Department—7:30-9:00—
Room 205.
National Guard—4:30-9:30—
Rooms 208, 212, 214, 215, 221 and
Auditorium.
Business Department—7:00-9:00—
Room 124-126.

October 25, Tuesday—
Alpha Phi—7:00-9:00—Room 120.
Dance Club—7:00-9:30—Room
114.
Tri Sig—4:00-5:30—Room 114.
Newman Club—7:00-8:30—Den.
Business Department—7:00-9:00—
Rooms 124-126.
Foreign Students—7:30-8:30—
Room 212.
Pi Omega Pi—7:30-9:00—Room
125.

October 26, Wednesday—
Delta Sigma Epsilon—7:00-9:00—
Room 101.
Phi Sigma Epsilon—7:00-9:00—
Room 120.
Tri Sig—4:00-5:30—Room 114.
Phi Sig—4:00—Rooms 120-121.
Business Department—7:00-9:00—
Rooms 124-126.

October 27, Thursday—
Student Senate—7:00-9:00—Den.
Louis Crowder—Assembly—10:00-
11:00.
Swim Club—7:00-8:00—Pool.
Business Department—7:00-9:00—
Rooms 124-126.

October 28, Friday—
Variety Show Performance—
6:30-11:00—Auditorium.
Game-Cape Girardeau—Here—
2:00.

October 29, Monday—
W. A. A.—7:00-9:30—Room 113.
Kappa Delta Pi—7:30-9:30—Den.
Music Department—7:30-9:00—
Room 205.
National Guard—7:30-9:30—
Rooms 212, 208, 214, 215, 221 and
Auditorium.
Business Department—7:00-9:00—
Rooms 124-126.

November 1, Tuesday—
Alpha Phi—7:00-9:00—Room 120.
Dance Club—7:00-9:30—Room
114.
Music Guild—7:30-8:45—Room
207.
Ag Club—7:15-9:15—Room 222.
Business Department—7:00-9:00—
Rooms 124-126.
Foreign Students—7:30-8:30—
Room 212.

November 2, Wednesday—
Alpha Sigma Epsilon—7:00-9:00—
Room 101.
Phi Sigma Epsilon—7:00-9:00—
Room 120.
Independent Club—7:00-9:30—
Den.
Phi Sigs—7:00—Rooms 120-121.
Business Department—7:00-9:00—
Rooms 124-126.

SENATE NOTES

The Student Senate convened, Thursday, October 6, with Sam Carpenter presiding.

Use of the Bearcat Den, October 29, was granted to the Barkatze family for its annual alumni chili supper.

A plan was submitted to President J. W. Jones for the reserving of Section C in Memorial Stadium for the students of the College. The pep organizations were granted the lower left and right portions of the section.

Ken Parsons was appointed chairman of the Homecoming game refreshment stands. The Senate will endeavor to operate two stands to relieve overcrowding and to facilitate better service.

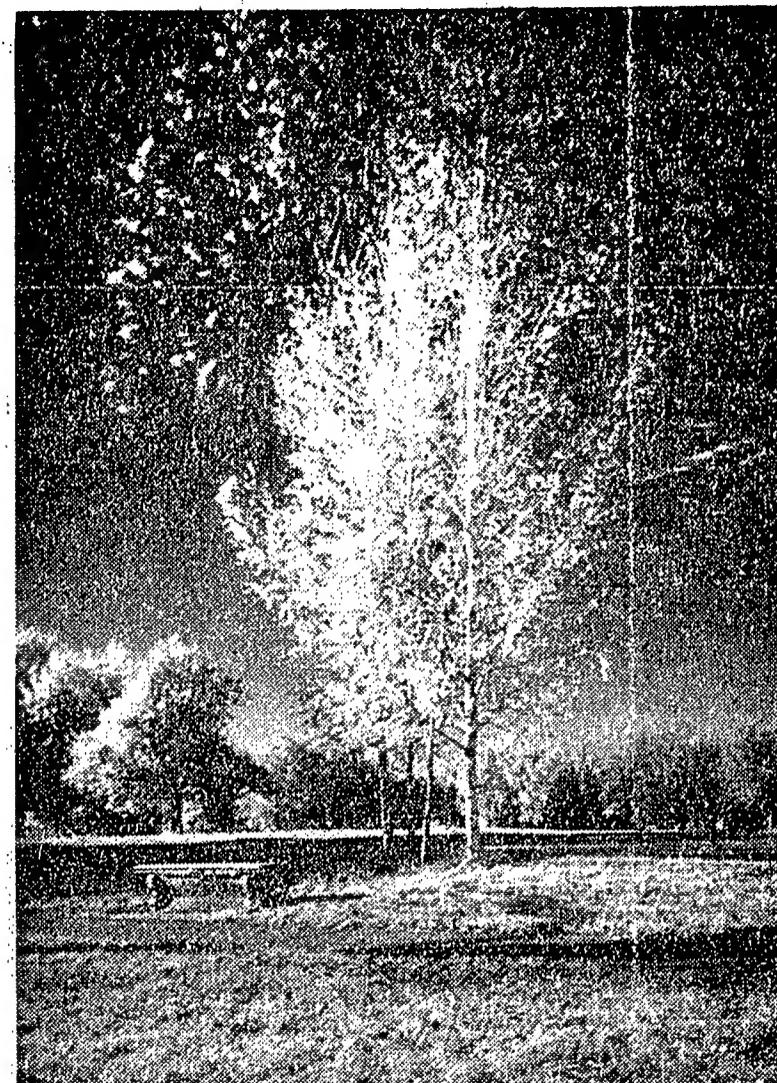
Reports were heard from the fact finding committee on a Student Union. The following organizations have pledged their support: Alpha Sigma Alpha, Cooperative Independents, Delta Sigma Epsilon, Phi Sigma Epsilon, Sigma Sigma Sigma, and Sigma Tau Gamma.

Pat McLaren, freshman, was appointed as secretary to the Student Union committee; her work thus far has been invaluable. The members of the committee are Bob Guthland, chairman, Frank Johnson and J. D. Elliott.

Manley Vance and J. D. Elliott were appointed to a committee to obtain a trophy case for the Homecoming trophies. The trophies will be exhibited in the Bearcat Den for one year and then they will revert to their owners when replaced by the following year's trophies.

"Every Student Get a Student."

Birch Trees in Autumn



Twenty Years Ago

Mr. Henry A. Foster, head of the social science department of the College, received a letter stating that Stanford University, California, had granted the degree, Doctor of Philosophy, to him.

Mr. C. E. Wells, librarian, and Miss Lucille Brumbaugh, assistant librarian, left for Jefferson City to attend the annual meeting of the Missouri Library Association. Miss Brumbaugh is treasurer of the association.

Coach "Lefty" Davis says Bearcats will have a lighter team than Bears, but Bearcats are doped to win. In the lineup for the Maryville team is Ryland Miller, quarterback, Oklahoma City, 145 pounds, freshman.

Ten Years Ago

Almost fifty percent of American teachers are working in farm and village schools. The average salary per annum is \$675.

Bearcats chalk up twelfth straight victory by rolling over Sioux Falls, South Dakota team, 48 to 0. In five games, Bearcats score 102 points to opponents' 7.

The problem of how students should best utilize time over week ends is met with the possible solution of classes on Saturday morning.

The first in a series of dances to be sponsored by the Student Social Committee will be given Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Surrey will be honor guests.

Hilltop Highlights

Academically Speaking

CONGRESSMAN JUDD'S rousing and very interesting speech taking top honors at the N. W. Teachers meeting . . . "Welcome back" to Miss K. Franklin after her unfortunate illness . . . Orchids to President J. W. JONES and his fine support in helping to establish a STUDENT UNION on the campus . . . everyone smiling again now that mid-term examinations are over.

Bearcat Briefs

Hats off to the valiant Bearcats and their fight against the burrowing MARTINS . . . Stars of the game . . . JOHN YURCHAK and PAT "VINCE" ZUCHOWSKI . . . Thanks to the support of the new and fast growing QUARTERBACK CLUB at the last game . . . Overheard during practice . . . HOCHENAUER'S suggestions of using the huddles for a quick game of "galloping dominoes" . . . Defense men grumble that they would rather try to stop a bulldozer than to stop M. WEED.

The Social Spotlight

The TRI SIGS' banquet at the country club . . . All the pretty youngens at the DELTA SIGS' informal dance at the Den, Saturday night . . . ALPHA SIGS' determined and successful "rush" season . . . Uptown to the SIG TAUS' new chapter room; they say it will be nothing but nice! . . . PHI SIGS' smoker plus a new crop of pledges to the organization . . . THE INDEPENDENTS' meeting where debating societies are formed . . . Orchids to these organizations for their support of a tentative, temporary STUDENT UNION.

After Hour Stuff

Life at the QUADS is worth living, especially with "FRITZIE," the BROWNS' new dachshund, adding humor to the sometimes stolid scene . . . RESIDENCE HALL doing a land office business as far as males are concerned . . . VET VILLAGE interior decorators getting into shape for a long, cold winter . . . Favorite of the after hour (10:30) hauntings is MAC'S and those cups of Joe . . . Bye now! The Highlighter.

CONGRESSMAN JUDD BELIEVES IN U. N.

(Continued from Page One) ference tables and excels, frequently playing with us as a cat plays with a mouse.

"Our hopes of avoiding disaster lie in mobilizing to the utmost our strength and skill in political and ideological fields as well as economic and military," he said.

Judd brought out the government's tragic plan of opposite policies on opposite sides of the world.

"In Europe, we said, 'We will help you only if you keep the Communists out of your government.' In China we said, 'We will help you only if you take the Communists in.'

Says Reversal Necessary

"Unless immediately there is a drastic reversal of policy in Asia, history can only record that we defeated Japan, but Russia won the war in the Pacific.

"By refusing to give vigorous, effective support to those opposing Communist aggression in China, because they did not yet come up to our standards, we actually intervened in favor of the Communists—the worst possible alternative.

"That is the measure of how immature we still are in the political and ideological fields," he admonished.

Dr. Judd pointed out that actual peace can come only when the world is united. This can come about by only two ways—conquest and agreement.

Get Two Worlds Together

"We don't believe in conquest. We don't want conquest of us by

The Stroller

The Stroller just got to the library in time to catch one of the reserve books for Dr. John Harr's history class. It would be the book that is the hardest to read.

She started to go to the book store but it was so full of working people, Homecoming, you know, that she felt lost. She told Jane and Bill that she was too busy with her dates to work on a committee. Wonder why they didn't put her on one anyway!

Extra! Extra! Read all about it!!! The Stroller just received the straight dope on the Homecoming Queen. Who, how and when she will be elected!

Guess what! the Barkatze are not all Tri Sigs and the Green and White Peppers are not all the Alpha Sigs. There are Deltas in both, you know!

While strolling over the campus, the Stroller stumbled over several couples out enjoying the warm sun and the beauty of the campus.

The Stroller thinks it wise to inform some people that Katie locks the door at 10:30 every night except Friday and Saturday nights. She must remember to look up her key to the Hall door. It might come in handy.

By special reports from the library, Aristophanes must be quite a boy. Remember there are fines for those who do not return books to the library.

Well, all of the Stroller's buddies returned for Teachers Meeting and held a reunion. Class of 1901, that is. Maybe some day there will be courses that the Stroller can pass.

Have you heard Dean Steeby sing "I'm In the Mood for Love"? Who wrote that song?

The Stroller is much worried about how she can attend all of those good teas, banquets, and parties that are being held for the alums next week. There are only 24 hours in a day.

He is beginning to worry about Bud and his mid-term tests. It's about time to open a book and at least look to see the pictures inside.

The Stroller has just learned that Bev and George Dunlap are cousins, really and truly.

Speaking of work? Mr. Garrett is conditioning his classes for a mid-term test every Wednesday. Oh, well, the Stroller still likes the lab after the last five and a half years.

The Stroller has had his teeth knocked out many times for trying to find out the secrets of Homecoming skits. Toothless is the name now.

He is starting a new section, "The Predictions." Around the 28th of this month there will be gay festivities somewhat like a homecoming. His last prediction is that some one will win the next football game. He will almost guarantee these to come true.

The Stroller really enjoyed the dance the other night. Especially Mrs. Helen Gee and Mr. Don Sonnedecker's jitterbugging. The Stroller suggests that they put on an exhibition for assembly some day.

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Alpha Sigs Have Rummage Sale in Tent



The Alpha Sigs held a rummage sale Saturday, October 8, in a tent on the Maryville courthouse lawn. Several of the participants are shown left to right: Mary Francis Robinet, Jean Short, Katie Espy, Martha Clymens, Polly Cramer, Doris Jean Hamilton, Jane Bovard, Beverly Johnson, alumna, and Joanne Wright.

Deltas Honor Pledges With Informal Dance



The active members of the Delta Sigs sponsored a dance Saturday night, October 8, honoring the new pledges. A group of the Delta Sigs and their guests are, from left to right, Bud Iddings, Frances Kirkpatrick, Marion Sherer, Betty Conrad, Merry Ann Olmquist, Bob Lister, Richard Collison, Martha Hill, Mary Jo Wynn, Gerald Weed, Joan Groom, Bill Shell, Freddie Davis, and Margie Ketchem.

Sigmas Have Informal Dinner at Country Club

Homecoming Parade Begins at 10 A. M.

Alumnae and active members of Alpha Epsilon chapter of Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority enjoyed an informal dinner at the Country Club, Saturday evening, October 8. Table decorations were purple aspers and candy gum drops with the Sigma Triangle on them.

After dinner the members and their guests danced to records and played bridge.

Alumnae and guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ogden, Mrs. Harrison Mutz, Miss Nell Hudspeth, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sheetz, Miss Violette Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Houghton, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Watson, Mr. and Mrs. John Schier, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Garten, Miss June Cozine, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Stutts, Mrs. Virginia Coe Hammond, and Mr. Donald Sonnedecker.

Actives and guests were Marilyn Alexander, Herbert Dennis, Margaret Berry, Bill Christianson, Peggy Ford, Herman Haasheer, Helen Fisher, Harrison Mutz, Jr., Mary Flink, Chuck Graham, Mary Jo Vernon, Bob Ward, Frances Richards, Roy Jenkins, Margaret Curry, Bob Bright, Phyllis Crawford, J. D. Elliott, Sharlene Marple, Bill Garrett, Joyce Smith, Johnny Wallace, Jean George, Bob Brandt, Mary Lou Rockwell, Jack Trost, Helen Joyce Moore, Frank Johnson, Nina Gilliland, Irvin Thomas, Arlene Blank, Diane Dessler, Betty Wilson, Sarah Davis, Ruth McDowell and Roberta Walker.

Informal Dance Honors

New Pledges and Guests

Alpha Phi chapter of Delta Sigma Epsilon honored its new pledges and their guests with an informal dance and card party Saturday night, October 8, in the Bearcat Den.

Margie Ketchem introduced John Groom who played two piano solos, "Now That I Need You" and "Again." J. C. Hall sang "You'll Never Know." The program was concluded by Fran Kirkpatrick's singing "I'm In The Mood For Love."

The engagement of Joyce King and Ralph Blank was announced and the traditional Delta Sig box chocolates was passed. Following this, refreshments of doughnuts and cocoa were served.

New pledges who attended were Valadene Crabtree, Mary Lou Moore, Martha Hill, Merry Ann Olmquist, Joan Harper, Helen Echert, Beverly Harvey, and Beaona White. Chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dieterich and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gee.

Freel Teaches in Savannah

Hermon D. Freel of the Village, a commerce student at the College, is teaching three days' practice teaching in the Savannah high school. He is teaching 117 students in five classes: bookkeeping, general business, and shorthand.

Alumnae Coffee Hour

Will Be Held at Dorm

An informal coffee hour will be held for the returning alumnae in the lobby of Residence Hall from 4 to 5 on the afternoon of Saturday, October 29.

All of the former residents and other friends of the Hall are invited.

Ag Club Plans Float, Variety Show Program

The Ag Club held its first meeting of the year, Tuesday, October 4, in Room 222. The old members were present to welcome the new. This year's president, Othel Richards, presided. As the club reporter, Hubert Null, is not in school this year, Charley Hinchee was elected to fill the office.

Since the Ag Club represents the agriculture department in the Homecoming festivities, preparations were made by the appointment of various committee members. Those appointed for the Variety Show are F. B. Houghton, Jr., Kenneth Bennett, Maurice Nelson, and Howard Breitenbuecher. Those chosen to supervise the construction of a float were Mac Jackson, Phillip Zapf, and Dick Phipps.

Special Events in Home

Inside, the rooms have high ceilings and the thickness of the brick walls shows up in the wide window ledges. Beautiful woodwork, hardwood floors and a most ornately carved walnut staircase is the feature in the big front hall. Since Doctor and Mrs. Jones moved in four years ago, under their guidance the house has been done over to conform to its original state and is furnished throughout (except in the kitchen) with rare and beautiful pieces of antique furniture, hangings and lamps. This was not done without purpose. Many college social affairs are held in the president's home and attended by the students. It is Dr. Jones' theory that a part of their education should include and have exemplified a picture of gracious living and how it is possible for them to accomplish this art.

Missourians are more inclined to brag about their mules, their hound dogs and their big corn fields. We don't often see stressed an admiration for the culture and gracious living of our pioneers. At least this phase has never been commercialized as it is so often over the southern states. But we can just almost hear some of those Northwest Missouri College students say in the future as they make some of those tours to famous homes in other states and pay a dollar to be shown through an old home with its aura of culture, its Colonial architecture, air of gracefulness, harmony and charm.

President is Gardner

Flowers were everywhere and when we asked if the college maintained a greenhouse to provide the lovely bouquets for the president's home, we were told Dr. Jones is his own gardener. He took great pride in showing us his rose garden, his outdoor living room with its insect-repelling lights, his cutting garden and pool. Mrs. Jones, however, is the flower arranger and in one instance

After the pledging ceremony all the members of the sorority enjoyed a coke party.

Herman Freed, senior, Redding, Iowa, served as the co-ordinator of the meeting. Questions were answered by Mr. H. R. Dieterich, Horace Mann principal, and Mrs. C. A. Brisson, Maryville high school principal.

Residence Hall Girls Entertain Faculty Dames

The Faculty Dames were entertained with a tea given in the lobby of Residence Hall on Sunday, October 2.

The receiving line included Sharlene Marple, president of Residence Hall council, Doris Jean Hamilton, chairman of the social committee, Mrs. Nell Thompson, house mother, and Miss Katie McKee, night chaperon. The girls of Residence Hall acted as hostesses.

Flowers were the colors decorating the tea table and an informal arrangement of pink roses formed the centerpiece.

Member of Missouri Press Club Is Impressed by Beauty of This Campus

Mrs. Hallie Barrow, of Clarksdale, praises Northwest Missouri State's 1,900 trees and makes favorable comments about other phases of visit here.

By Hallie Barrow

I spent last week end inspecting some of my property and found it in such a flourishing condition that I returned feeling perfectly satisfied with the stewardship and management of my rich heritage. I hadn't been too aware of this property in Northwest Missouri; in fact, I had never seen it until I attended the annual meeting of my favorite club, the Missouri Press Women, held at Maryville last Saturday and Sunday.

We were the guests of the Northwest Missouri State College. When we thanked President J. W. Jones for asking us to tea at his lovely home and then taking us for a tour all over the campus and buildings, he gaily explained: "But this is yours." This college belongs to the people in Northwest Missouri and you are entitled to know all about it. Your taxes helped to build it and maintain it each year. We enjoy having the owners of this college come and see for themselves what a first-rate school belongs to them."

Campus Was Nursery

One of the finest features is the campus with almost 1,900 trees of some 90 species. No wonder this campus ranks first in beauty among our state colleges and in the upper bracket of attractive campus sites anywhere. One of the main reasons is that originally this tract of land was a very successful nursery of the old-school type. The nursery was owned by the Gantz family, which had brought to this country a highly specialized profession.

The pines on the south side of the president's house are the largest I've ever seen and their deeply indented bark makes them look hoary with age. Hemlocks have not been crowded and show their full grace and beauty. The white birches grow large and have big trunks instead of the slender types we usually see. One college president, while traveling around the world, brought tree seeds from the Orient; some of these sprouted and flourished in their new environment. Some of the rare trees have been gifts of outgoing senior classes who had loved their tree-shaded campus. The high bush cranberry shrubs proved to us that we have something native here which can make the gorgeous display of red berries just as beautiful as those of the mountain ash which is so difficult to acclimate here.

The stately big house, used for the president's home, was the old Gantz place and can hold its own with many of the fine old homes one sees at Williamsburg or Natchez. The brick has been hand-made and often one side of the brick was rounded to fit in special requirements. The tops of the tall windows are all rounded and the date of its erection, 1870, is in white brick, set in one of the outside red brick walls.

Students Have Formed College Male Quartet

J. C. Hall, sophomore; Manley Vance, senior; Wayne Stegman, post graduate; and Richard R. Miller, sophomore, are the students that compose the newly organized male quartet at the College. The main reason for its organization is the pleasure gained by the members through singing together.

The active interest by the members is shown by their regular visits to the conservatory.

Paul T. McNutt, chairman of the music department, has remarked that the quartet may go on the music tour sponsored by the College next spring.

Dance Club Sponsors Party for New Members

Members of the Dance Club gave a party for new members Tuesday, October 4, in Room 144.

Miss Mary Evelyn Goodman called for square dancing. Music was provided by Mary Schulte.

Refreshments consisted of cokes and Ritz sandwiches. Membership in the Dance Club is open to both men and women. Miss Goodman is the new sponsor.

WEDDINGS

Helzer-Snowberger Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Helzer, of Graham, announce the marriage of their daughter, Louise, to William Snowberger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Snowberger, of Skidmore, October 1. Mrs. Snowberger attended the College.

Floyd-Juvalen

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Alfred Coaches at Winston

Wilmer Aldrich, Class of '49, has been elected coach and social science teacher for the Winston high school.

GOOD GROOMING Starts With Your Shoes

"Let Gene Fix 'em."

DENNISON SHOE REPAIR

Sigmas Entertain at Maryville Country Club



An informal picture of the Sigma Sigma Sigma dinner, October 8, at the Maryville Country club shows, top row, Mr. Dan Emerson, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Watson, Robert Brier, Margaret Curry, Jack Trost, Mary Lou Rockwell, J. D. Elliott, Phyllis Crawford, Mrs. Harrison Mutz, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Gram, and Miss Nell Hammar; first row, Mr. Gerald Stults, Mrs. Virginia Coe Hammond, Mr. Donald Sonnedecker, Herbert Denham, Marilyn Alexander, Robert Brandt, Jean George, Frank Johnson, Helen Joyce Moore.

Frances Richards Wins 4-H Inter-State Honors

Frances Richards, a sophomore, was recently named "The Inter-State Girl of 1949." She was chosen from outstanding 4-H club members of northwest Missouri, northeast Kansas, southwest Iowa and southwest Nebraska. Miss Richards is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Richards of Jameson.

Miss Richards has an outstanding record, not only in projects com-

Social Schedule October 29

Breakfasts
7:30 a.m. - Delta Sigma Epsilon, Van's Cafe.
8:00 a.m. - Sigma Sigma Sigma, Christian Church.
8:00 a.m. - Phi Sigma Epsilon, Dream Kitchen.
8:30 a.m. - "M" Club, Men's Quad.
8:30 a.m. - Alpha Phi Omega, 71 Cafe.
8:30 a.m. - Independent Club Coffee Hour, Bearcat Den.
9:00 a.m. - Alumnae Majors of Women's P. E., Quad 4.

Luncheons

11:45 a.m. - Green and White Peppers, American Legion.

12:15 p.m. - A. C. E., Methodist Church.

12:30 p.m. - Pi Omega Pi, First Christian Church.

12:30 p.m. - Northwest Missourian Staff and Alumni, 71 Cafe.

Open Houses

4:00 p.m. - Informal at home - come as you are after the game - hot cider and doughnuts, President and Mrs. J. W. Jones.

4:00 p.m. - Informal open house, Residence Hall.

Dinners

6:00 p.m. - Barkatze Chili Supper, Bearcat Den.

6:30 p.m. - Alpha Sigma Alpha Founders Day Banquet, Country Club.

6:30 p.m. - Sigma Tau Gamma, American Legion Home.

Sorority Picks Norine Norris for Alpha Honors

Who is the typical Alpha Sig? Phi Phi says that Norine Norris is the typical girl from this chapter.

Each chapter of Alpha Sigma Alpha will feature a typical girl in



the November Phoenix, the Alpha Sig magazine. Explanatory articles about the girls, accompanied by their pictures, will be published. As was Norine, all of the girls will be chosen for their versatility, participation in school activities, and scholarship.

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SINCE 1914

Homecoming Will Feature Maryville--Cape Girardeau Game Saturday

Teams Are Matched
Evenly for Contest

Coach Ryland Milner Will
Utilize Open Date for
Excessive Drill.

Game Week From Saturday

Coach W. Goddard's Indians Have
Spirited Team Sparked by 16
Returning Lettermen.

The Indians from Cape Girardeau
will attack the Maryville Bearcats
Saturday, October 29, with a scalping
idea in mind for the afternoon
Homecoming battle at 2 p.m. Co-
captains, Don Harnett, Norman
James, and Marvin Weed will lead
the Maryville team into its forty-
third Homecoming game.

Coach Milner will be grueling his
team into top condition for the con-
test. Conference play thus far has
resulted in one loss, and with an
open date this week end, chances
are that the Bearcats will be drilled
in blocking and tackling--weak
points in previous games.

Opponents Seek Revenge

Cape Girardeau, under the direc-
tion of Coach Wayne Goddard, will
be seeking a revengeful score as a
result of a homecoming spoiled by
Maryville last year in Houch field at
a tune of 14-6. This year the
Indians have 16 returning lettermen
spirited to produce a better season
than was accomplished last year.

Cape lost its first contest of this
year to Duran Teachers of Okla-
homa, 8-0, but then clicked with two
straight victories—one over Culver-
Stockton, 17-7, and the other over
Southern Illinois, 25-7. The Culver-
Stockton win, incidentally, was the
first football victory for Cape since
November of 1947. Last Friday the
Indians played the Kirksville Bull-
dogs in a homecoming tilt, while
the Bearcats journeyed to the
Springfield gridiron to play the
Bears, last year's co-champions.

Bearcats Beat Rockhurst

Beginning with vigor the 1949 sea-
son the Bearcats surmounted the
Rockhurst Hawks, 27-13, and then
the following weekend downed the
College of Emporia, 21-0. Home
games, however, resulted in losses
against Northwestern Louisiana
State, 31-14, and Rolla, the first
conference foe, 41-13.

Skipping around a few corners,
one may compare each team with
a common opponent. Cape has
played Warrensburg and lost 21-6;
Warrensburg played the Rockhurst
Hawks and won 35-6; Maryville beat
Rockhurst, 27-13.

Statistically there is a vague com-
parison, but the most important as-
pect of Saturday afternoon's ultimate
will not be determined by previous
statistics, but rather by the
influence of a spirited homecoming
crowd gathered in new Memorial
stadium to support its team to vic-
tory.

COLLEGE PLANS GALA EVENT FOR VISITORS

(Continued from Page One)
man" on the latest issue of "Cap-
itol News." Of him the magazine
has this to say, "California's im-
pression of Benny Strong and his
orchestra is that they are an en-
tertaining gang and an aggregation
which emphasizes danceable
tempos above all else. His records
are selling as briskly as any band's
and better than most."

Dance Will Begin at 11

The dance will begin at 11 o'clock
and will last until 1 o'clock. Ad-
mission is \$2.50 per couple and
\$1.50 per person. It will be held in
the main gymnasium and will be
informal.

Homecoming trophies will be
awarded at the dance. Besides the
wall plaques for the individual
contests, a supremacy trophy will be
awarded.

Point Basis Is Emphasized
It is awarded on a point basis of
5-4-3-2-1 for placing in the vari-
ety show, parade participation,
house decorations, and all around
Homecoming cooperation, partic-
ipation, and spirit.

Each organization sponsoring a
function for the alumni gets one
point toward the trophy. The
type of work done by the rep-
resentatives of organizations, the
co-operation of organizations in dec-
orating, clean up, etc., will be eval-
uated and used as a basis for award-
ing points to the organizations
contributing most to Homecoming
and probably will be deciding fac-
tor for the trophy.

Traveling Trophy Is Used

The supremacy award is a trav-
eling trophy which must be won
three times before it stays in its
possession permanently. Last
year, the first time it was award-
ed, the trophy was won by the
Sigma Tau Gamma fraternity.

Monty Pitner submitted the best
idea to the Homecoming commit-
tee. He suggested that a school
rouser or pep song be adopted. The
organization which composes the
best school pep song will be award-
ed an extra point for the supremacy
trophy and will be given the
privilege of introducing the song
at Homecoming. All song entries
should be submitted to Bill Elam
or Jane Bovard no later than 4:00
p.m. today, October 19.

Bearcats Surprise Bears; Tie, 14-14

Maryville's Team Bounces
Back to Favor After
Defeat by Miners.

The Bearcats, recently defeated
by the Rolla Miners, recovered
from their losing streak by holding
the favored Springfield Bears to a
14-14 tie the last Friday on their
opponents' field. It was a tense,
nerve racking, conference game be-
tween the defending co-champions
of the M. I. A. A. conference.

Springfield twice had to come from
behind to achieve the tie.

After a scoreless first quarter in
which Maryville, threw back one
Springfield thrust that reached the
8, the Bearcats started a march of
their own for their 22. A 15 yard
penalty set them off. Bob Hemen-
way gained 16, and Norman James
17 in the drive. With Marvin Weed
chipping in several smaller gains in
smashes at the tackles.

James went over from 15 yards out
and Don Hoffman kicked the extra
point.

Maryville Line Holds

In the second quarter the rugged
Maryville line halted Springfield
drives on the 5 and 18.

Springfield scored 46 seconds after
the third quarter opened on a
Forsythe to Bob Dees pass. With
the latter lateral to Paul Dees who
went 33 yards to the touchdown.

Forsythe booted the point.

Maryville bounced back and got
as far as the 21, but a misguided
lateral cost 12 yards and spoiled
their march.

Weed Recovers Fumble

Weed recovered a fumbled Spring-
field lateral on the 29 late in the
period to set up the second scoring
thrust. A 15 yard penalty against
Springfield helped, and Zuchowski
galloped to the 5. Weed finally went
over from the 2 early in the period
and Hoffman added the point.

Springfield scored soon afterwards
as Lees set it up with a 33 yard run,
James overhauling him on the 32
after a spectacular chase. It took
six plays from there for Springfield
to score. Joe Stevens plunging
across from the 2. Stevens also
plunged the point.

Maryville muffed an opportunity
to unknot the count when Weed
went deep into Springfield territory
on a 28 yard run and James galloped
21. The Bears dug in on their 21
to halt the threat.

Individually, Springfield's Lees
was outstanding as he gained 194
yards of the 304 credited to the
Bears.

The Summary

	S	M
Yards gained	304	214
Yards lost running	44	39
First downs	19	10
Yards gained passing	104	5
Passes completed	6	1
Passes attempted	15	6
Passes intercepted by	2	1
Fumbles	2	2
Opponents fumbles rec.	0	1
Yards last penalties	55	30
Punting average	23.3	42.2

Mack Miller Discusses Values of Fraternity

The Dream Kitchen was the scene
of much activity, Tuesday evening,
October 4. Nu Chapter of Phi Sigma
Epsilon held its annual fall smoker
for prospective pledges. Twelve
guests attended the smoker.

Coffee, sandwiches, and potato
chips were served buffet style. Cig-
arettes were served in a "help your-
self" manner. Guests and active
members of the fraternity played
cards for entertainment.

Mack Miller, an alumnus mem-
ber, gave a short talk on the values
of fraternity life in college.

Mr. H. R. Dleiterich and Mr. W. T.
Garrett, fraternity sponsors, and Mr.
Robert F. Gee, an honorary member,
were present at the smoker.

**Nine Men Begin Phi Sig
Fraternity Pledge ship**

Nine men began their pledge ship
to the Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity
Wednesday evening, October 5. They
started a pledge ship which will last
until just before the Christmas vaca-
tion. The pledges are Ted Baldwin,
Maryville; Terry Noah, Cainsville;
Johnny Carlson, Shenandoah, Iowa;
Bob Brandt, Galesburg, Illinois; Bob
Brett, Savannah; Bill Pease, Mound
City; Bob Arthur, Kearney; Earl
Brasfield, Chillicothe; and Bill
Bloom, Dexter, Iowa.

A pledge dance in honor of these
men will be held November 5, at the
Country Club.

Miss Wilson Is at Stephens

Miss Janet Wilson, an August,
1946, graduate of the College, is
now on the faculty of Stephens
College at Columbia. She is also
completing work toward a master's
degree in home economics. Miss
Wilson is a niece of Mrs. Hubert
Garrett, a college library assistant.

Mr. Wright Attends Field Day
October 19, Mr. R. T. Wright,
chairman of the agriculture de-
partment, will attend Jersey field
day at Chillicothe. This show is
sponsored by the Missouri Jersey
Parish Number 8 and will be at-
tended by the representatives of all
Northwest Missouri counties. Mr.
Wright is president of the parish.



THE BEARCATS OF 1949—FRONT ROW, left to right, Dale Hague, Charles Ollerman, Bob Barrett, Walt Stanton, Pete Younger, Ken Jones, George Haws, Bud Lemmon, Bill Coulter, Bob Hemenway, Chuck Graham, Kurby Lyle. SECOND ROW, Marvin Free, Gaylord Meyers, Glen Price, Paul Tobin, Bob Brandt, Don Hoffman, Alvin Wormsley, Warren Gresham, John Yurchak, George Coulter, Wayne Kinman, Al Henningsen, Max Hochenauer. THIRD ROW, Coach Dewey Allgood, Don French, Bill Stone, Fred James, Darrel Johnson, Ken Reynolds, Charles Fox, Charlie Thomas, Dick Hollenbeck, Carol Cox, Gerald Weed, Don Harnett, Phil Carter. FOURTH ROW, Byron Christie, Marvin Fett, Marty Burns, Duane Newman, Herb Hill, Bob Maxwell, Ralph Pierce, Bill Davis, Bob Hitzelberger, Joe Gardner, Wilbur Pollard, Clyde Thompson. FIFTH ROW, Marvin Weed, Pat Zuchowski, Glen Sherry, Norman James, Burton Rickey, Joe Zelenz, Bill Sherman, Giles Hengeler, Bob Osborn, John Hellerich, Coach Ryland Milner and Coach Lon Wilson.

Miners Dig Up 41 Points With Six Touchdown Tally; Bearcats, 13!

Maryville Bearcats Sacrifice Their First Conference
Debut; Coach Bowman's Squad Rallies in Second
Period to Win After Thirteen Point Deficit.

Out of Rolla came the Miners and
their speedy moleskin crew to blast
the Maryville Bearcats to the tune of
41-13. Coach Bowman's Miners turned
what seemed to be a Bearcat victory
in the first quarter and during a few minutes of the second
stanza, into a complete rout with the
lads from Rolla on top of the
head.

Rolla needed but two quarters to
undermine the early lead built up
by Maryville. After the Bearcats
moved into a 7-0 lead in the first
quarter and added 6 more for a
13-0 lead in the second period, the
Miners took over and from then on
it was all Rolla. With Whitney who
was hit on the one yard line. On
the next play Dowling smashed
over for the score. Wohlert added
the point to make it 14-13, Rolla
on the long end. The Bearcats
were penalized 15 yards for un-
sportsmanlike conduct on the try
for point and Rolla kicked off from
the Maryville 45. The Miners held the
Cats and forced them to kick. Huffman grabbed
Wormsley's punt and raced 63
yards to the Bearcat 32 before
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